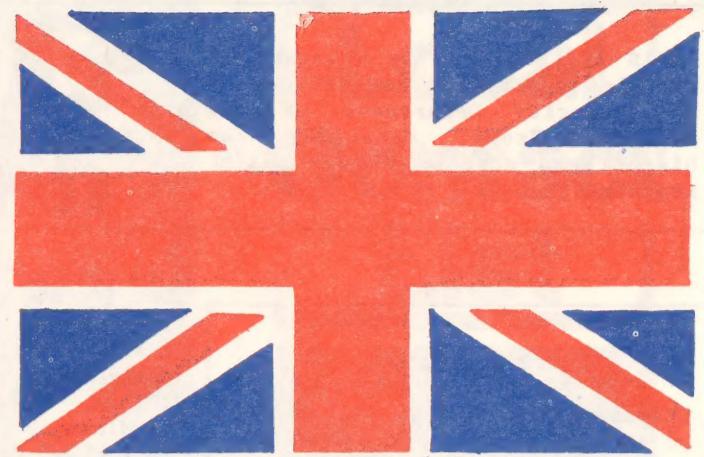


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# BRITAIN'S DECLINE!

**LONDON**

THERE ARE 70 "no-go" areas for the police in London alone, with many more in the multi-racial parts of other main British cities. This terrifying figure has not been made up by the National Front - it comes officially from the Police Federation.

The Federation represents officers up to the rank of chief inspector, so it is in a good position to know just how bad things really are. As Mr. Tony Judge, editor of its magazine *Police* points out: "Our rank and file members assure us that there are plenty of places where they are no longer able to police effectively and in their view that is 'no go'."

Officers patrolling in areas such as Brixton, Hackney and Tottenham, and in parts of cities such as Liverpool, Leeds, Bradford, Leicester and even Bristol, are now in constant fear for their lives because of the sharp increase in the use of knives.

**NOT SO LUCKY**

But at least the police have protective clothing, truncheons and firearms back-up - and fast cars to get out of trouble quickly. The ordinary folk who actually have to live in the nightmare world of Britain's inner cities are not so lucky, nor are the local people who have to work there.

The North Peckham estate in South London provides a good example of what life is really like in Britain's concrete jungle. Row upon row of windows in the menacing grey flats are boarded up. Not because the flats are empty, but to try to keep out burglars. Doors are reinforced with steel bars to prevent thieves from smashing them down with sledgehammers and looting the contents in broad daylight.

Women of all ages are unable to go



Darren Hodgson (left) and other NF supporters in Consett.

out alone after dark for fear of the muggers who knifed an old man on Boxing Day. The alleyway is still stained where he bled to death. Council maintenance workers have to work in pairs, cleaning up the mess left by vandals, drug addicts and householders who dump their rubbish on the stairs together with the human and canine excrement.

**ARMOURED VANS**

Milkmen have been unable to make deliveries in North Peckham for three years, and postmen stopped their rounds for a while last autumn. The Post Office is now hoping to introduce

extra security measures, including radio links and armoured vans for postmen working in pairs to ward off the roaming gangs of muggers.

Any appearance by the police is likely to spark off a Broadwater Farm scale riot, so most crimes are not even investigated properly, let alone solved.

The story is the same in many other multi-racial cities. Taxi drivers refuse to go into certain parts of cities ranging from London to Leicester. The Post Office simply will not deliver at all in parts of Southwark, South London and Liverpool. Midwives have been attacked in St. Paul's, Bristol. Ambulance crews and doctors have been attacked while attending emergency calls. In the West Midlands, ambulance men are being issued with fireproof clothing because of the danger of petrol bombs.

Local Labour councillors blame unemployment for the problems of places like the North Peckham estate. As it now runs at 45% it certainly can't help, but it cannot be the main reason for them. After all, the youth unemployment rate in Consett in the north east is virtually double this figure, but it does not suffer from such horrors.

**"ETHNIC"**

Everyone knows the real reason. Even the shortest trip to the edge of the North Peckham estate suggests that the official 30% figure for its "ethnic" population is an underestimate. As in the other high crime areas which deface our cities, the majority of these are West Indian Blacks.

**CONSETT**

FOUR OUT OF EVERY FIVE young people in Britain's industrial heartland are unemployed. As the *Northern Echo* reported at the end of January, "a recent calculation of young people either on the dole or on government schemes is as high as 82%."

The report refers to the once thriving steel town of Consett in County Durham. But of course, it is not only in the North East of England that this obscene waste of youth, talent and enthusiasm is to be found. Ulster, Wales, Scotland and now even Cornwall all have their towns like Consett. Whole towns where mass unemployment is simply a part of everyday life.

This "caring" Conservative government, in a determined push to create a pool of mass cheap labour, has deliberately slung more than three million of our men and women onto the unemployment scrapheap. More than three million people, individuals, who are made to feel like, and are indeed treated like, second class citizens in their own country.

**"MONEY BEFORE PEOPLE"**

The poverty created by this "money before people" mentality is leading to record death rates, permanent sickness and poor child health in the areas worst affected.

It is also leading to a growing number of young men and women who are looking to the National Front, and not the Labour or Alliance parties, as the only realistic movement of the future. A movement which will create real jobs and not the pathetic YTS schemes which are simply designed to cut the disastrous dole figures.

As the *Northern Echo* commented, "Darren Hodgson is a typical unemployed youngster in a dole hit North East town. He is also a member of the National Front. Darren, 18, is doing some gardening on a YTS course but can't see any future in it. There is a specialized course in landscape gardening he could do at college in Durham, but he's been told there is no chance of a grant if he got a place."

**WHITE WORKERS' POWER**

Darren told a National Front News reporter that he joined the NF to fight primarily its economic ideals - for workers co-operatives and White Workers' Power:

"Labour has nothing to offer us - and the Tories just don't care. So why the hell should they get my support? Only the National Front have the right policies and really care about people like me, because people like me ARE the National Front."

Darren is speaking not only for the youth of Consett, but for ALL young men and women in the British Family of Nations, who are demanding jobs and rights NOW!

THIS IS the first in a series of articles researched and written by the Security Department of the National Front, detailing the history and purpose of Searchlight magazine.

# EXPOSING THE HATEMONGERS

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## BIRTH OF A LIE

SEARCHLIGHT newspaper was set up in 1963 by a group of politicians and journalists with extreme left-wing views. Under the editorship of Reg Freeson MP, and later Joan Lester, a mere five copies were produced between 1964 and 1968. Between 1968 and 1974 Searchlight ceased publication, although a loosely organized "news agency" continued to operate and feed disinformation to the national media.

Searchlight resurfaced in February 1975 in magazine format under the editorship of Maurice Ludmer. It went monthly in May 1975.

THE PURPOSE of Searchlight magazine is not as straightforward as the caption on its front cover - "The Anti-Fascist monthly" - would suggest. It has, in fact, two major objectives: to disrupt the Conservative Party and to work to discredit Nationalists and Nationalism in the minds of the public.

How does the magazine seek to achieve these ends? Searchlight claims a circulation of only 7,250 a month. A very high proportion of these sales are made up of subscriptions to the paper - sales through shops are low.

A series of invoices from Central Books Limited, which distributes Searchlight, to Birmingham's "Other Bookshop" shows very low sales (in March 1986, for instance, only 15 copies were taken). We reproduce the invoice below. Central Books is a Communist Party front which handles the distribution of numerous Marxist

magazines, books, pamphlets and papers.

Any would-be subscribers to Searchlight need to think very carefully before making that all important decision. They should be careful that their names, addresses and bank account details do not fall into the wrong hands. To illustrate what we mean, we reproduce three foreign cheques (we wouldn't want to be accused of threatening anyone by publishing details of UK cheques) which were passed through the account of Searchlight Publishing Company.

## LINKS

Searchlight's influence comes not, however, from its circulation to the public (which is insignificant) but from its links with the media and in particular "investigative journalists" and those working in current affairs. Domination of this area by the Hard Left has not gone unnoticed.

Searchlight is known to have been heavily involved in supplying the disinformation which formed the basis of numerous smear stories concerning both Nationalists and Conservatives. In one issue (No. 100, October 1983) Searchlight boasted "the researchers on the magazine also continue to feed

stories to the national press and television: we have been deeply involved with research for the New Statesman, News of the World, Daily Mirror, Credo and World in Action (among many others)."

The truth of this claim has been continually demonstrated. During the 1983 General Election the growing influence of Searchlight in this area was underlined when the Daily Mirror revealed that the Conservative candidate for Stockport South, Thomas Finnegan, had twice contested the Erdington constituency in Birmingham for the National Front.

## CAREFULLY TIMED

The main purpose behind such a carefully timed exposure was to discredit the Conservative Party and counter-balance Tory attacks on Labour's Militant Tendency by highlighting Tory links with the "extreme right". This same technique was evident in the BBC Panorama report entitled Maggie's Militant Tendency broadcast on the 30th January, 1984, which was not surprisingly described as "commendable" in an editorial in Searchlight no. 115.

Part of the research for the programme was provided by Gerry Gable - the publisher of Searchlight magazine. The programme brought a rapid and furious reaction from the Conservatives, including a Daily Mail article entitled "Lies, Damn Lies and Panorama" which was published on March 16th, 1984, and a number of libel actions which were settled out of court by the BBC.

Next issue: "Meeting the staff."

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The problem has been festering for years. The blame lies largely with the Tory and Labour politicians who brought these immigrants into our country as a source of cheap labour and cheap votes. But it must also rest on the police chiefs who have tried for years to have an easy life by sweeping the issue under the carpet by ordering a strategy of "softly, softly" community policing.

But the murder and mutilation of community policeman Keith Blakelock in Tottenham last year has finally created so much pressure from the lower ranks that Britain's top cops are at last starting to speak out. Metropolitan Police Commissioner, Sir Kenneth Newman, has issued a stark warning for the future.

Naming Railton Road, Brixton, All Saint's Road, Notting Hill and Sandringham Road, Hackney, as three particular flashpoints, he said: "These are at the centres of areas where crime is at its worst, where drug dealing is intolerably overt and where the racial ingredient is at its most potent."

## CRIMINAL

"The tradition is that the policeman works with the consent of the community. But how does this apply to Broadwater Farm where over half the households have members with criminal convictions, where the population is 42% Black and in 52% of households no one has a job?"

"A local officer can have no

confidence that local people will help him if he gets into trouble. Indeed, his experience if he lays hands on a Black man may very well be that others will unite to prevent the arrest, and perhaps to assault him."

London's top cop warns of the danger such areas developing into the sort of divided society now seen in Northern Ireland. "If we neglect the problem of 'no-go' areas or if we fail to address ourselves to it as a priority then it will not just stay the same; it will certainly get worse" he told a meeting of lawyers in the Commons in mid-February.

## RACIAL TROUBLE

Yet Newman knows that the police can do nothing to prevent ever-growing racial trouble. If they continue to do nothing, they will avoid major riots, but crime will increase until society collapses under the strain. But if they act to arrest the pushers and the muggers, they will spark off more riots in which more shops will be looted and burned and more people will be killed.

The fact is that there is no way to end the problems of crime and racial violence in a multi-racial society. They are after all just the symptoms, not the disease. The disease is multi-racialism itself.

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# FRONT LINE ACTION

## THURROCK & GRAYS

THE NATIONAL FRONT is back in Thurrock in Essex. A new NFN Supporters Unit was set up in the town on Thursday 12th February. For the first time in almost ten years, Thurrock now has an organized unit in operation.

Over thirty people attended the meeting, which was chaired by NF Directorate member and Havering activist Dave Gobell. Ron Ferrett gave an introductory speech and was followed by Executive Council member Graham Williamson as guest speaker.

A committee was elected with Rick Law as organizer and a collection of £50 was raised, with more promised soon. The new unit will remain under the wing of the thriving Barking unit, which on top of record paper sales has also done a lot to get Thurrock off the ground.

Just three days later, the new unit held its first NFN sale in the main shopping centre in Grays. Nineteen paper sellers (16 of whom were local)

turned out complete with a Cross of St. George and a Union flag, which helped sell £14 worth of papers and badges in just one hour!

### ENCOURAGING

Even more encouraging, six more local people came forward and gave their names and addresses after talking with paper sellers about the aims of our movement.

Rick Law told *NF News* that as well as establishing a regular sales pitch, he and his fellow activists plan to launch a recruitment drive in local secondary schools, because it is already clear that there is a great deal of support for the NF in schools in Thurrock.

Several press releases have been sent out since the inaugural meeting and the local papers are already showing interest in the growth of the unit.

## NORTH

OVER 70 NF cadres and NFN Supporters from all over the north of England attended an all-day training seminar and rally on the theme of "A Third Way For Ulster" at the start of February.

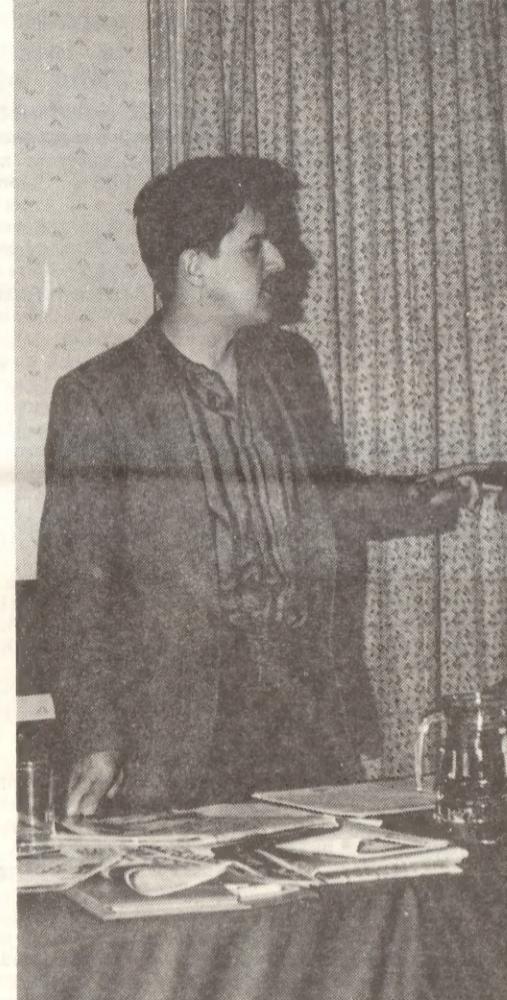
It was a very constructive event designed to give those in attendance a more thorough understanding of the development of the Ulster nation and the present crisis there. Speakers including NF Directorate Chairman Nick Griffin and Central Ulster Committee member David Kerr, examined the sterility of murderous IRA imperialism and unthinking Unionist reaction.

The meeting went on to discuss the ways in which the NF can expose the total failure of the old loyalist politicians to safeguard Ulster's future.

All present were delighted by David Kerr's report that several of the new NFN Supporters units in Ulster are successfully recruiting Catholics who are proud to be Ulstermen and who want to help in the National Front's struggle to replace the old dogmas with a new loyalty to an independent Ulster within the British Family of Nations.

Although many of those present were young and unemployed, the collection raised over £300. The mixture of speeches and discussion groups used during the day was widely agreed to have been a success and to have helped to equip those present with plenty of ammunition to use when putting the NF case across to the public.

## WEST



great start to 1987 for the NF in the town.

On the agenda was the election of a new committee, including the new post of YNF Organizer. All the officials were elected unanimously and all stated in their acceptance speeches that they were dedicated to the National Front and to promoting our ideas in Oldham.

The forthcoming General Election was then discussed and the unit Secretary, Alex Malcolm was adopted as prospective parliamentary candidate for Oldham West. In his acceptance speech said that he was proud to be able to stand for the National Front against the corrupt, evil, capitalist filth that dares to call itself the government.

### INSPIRING

NF Executive Council member Graham Williamson then addressed the meeting with one of the best and most inspiring speeches many of those present had ever heard. He outlined why the NF had to be proud of its working class heritage and its roots with ordinary people and should not shy away from this fact.

The enthusiasm raised by Graham amongst those present was reflected in the collection, which raised nearly £80.

## THE REPRESSION FILE

NF ACTIVISTS have always taken it for granted that our rights to free speech and free assembly are threatened by the Marxists and Zionists, but increasingly the main attack on our rights is coming from the State.

Although all genuine Nationalists recognize that this State interference is a fact of life in modern Britain, few members of the public have any idea of what the NF has to put up with, and so are unable to speak up in our defence. In order to start to put this right, alternative issues of *NFN* will highlight examples of injustice carried out against members and supporters of the movement.

If you become a sufferer or know of some act of repression in your area, help us to publicize the facts. Write with details and dates to the N.W.A. at P O Box 228, Manor Park, London E.12.

\* Blackburn nightclub raided on night of billed Skrewdriver concert. Unbeknown to police the gig had been cancelled at short notice, so they burst into an ordinary disco instead. Members of the public were assaulted by the police officers before they realized their mistake. The nightclub owner was also threatened with demonstrations and the loss of his licence by the local Labour MP.

\* January and February NFN supplies sent to Portsmouth vanish in the post.

\* Important letters to Phil Andrews' parents disappear in the post.

\* Police follow Burnley activists on evening door-to-door paper sales. Two new teenage recruits are split off from the others and thrown into a police van. On the way to the station they are beaten up by the police. While held for several hours, they are told that unless they drop politics they will be "fitted up" with unsolved crime.

1st Feb. 1987

Dear Comrades,

I would like to extend my sincere thanks to all of you who have written to me or campaigned on my behalf since my period of incarceration began in November last year. Obviously it is impossible for me to reply personally to any but a fraction of these letters, but each and every one of them is greatly appreciated all the same.

Those who were disheartened by my imprisonment, or who were angered by the malice and vindictiveness shown towards our Movement by the State in its fabrication of the "evidence" against me, should take heart from the knowledge that my incarceration has merely served to strengthen my resolve, as imprisonment has served to strengthen the resolve of my gaoled comrades in Ulster also.

As has been said many times before, ideas can only be beaten by better

THINGS are going well for the National Front in the North West. Two new units have been set up in Lancashire, in the well-known glass town of St. Helens and in Preston. Both units frequently get write-ups in the local press and have a good hardcore of keen activists.

Meanwhile the well-established Blackpool unit has seen an influx of new recruits and the treasurer, Stewart Williamson, has announced that the "Lancashire NF House Project" - which aims to acquire a permanent headquarters and training centre for the NF in Blackpool - has now reached £2,000.

This is a great achievement, but there is still a long way to go. Stewart urges all Nationalists to give as much as they can to their own local National Front election fund, but asks if any readers with a bit left over could help out by sending small cheques/P O's to: "The Building Fund", P O Box 12, Lytham St. Annes, Lancs.

Pictured far left: Graham Williamson. Above centre: Nick Griffin at training seminar.

## WHAT IS TO BE DONE?

THIS column is specially designed to keep all N.F. officials well informed of forthcoming activities and to remind them of what needs to be done over the next two weeks.

All N.F. officials and activists must therefore make it a top priority to read this column carefully every issue and then to ACT on the information.

\* GENERAL ELECTION CONFERENCE. Sat. 21st March. Central London. All day. Re-direction from 11 a.m. - details will be handed to officials on literature run.

All unit officials and prospective candidates must attend this vital meeting. The election will cost the NF thousands of pounds, good planning is essential to ensure that it brings maximum benefits.

All readers are reminded that in addition to election funds at local level, the NF also has a national election fund to help new and very small units fight the extra campaigns we need to gain 5 minutes television time. All donations to: Election Fund, P O Box 228, Manor Park, London E.12.

\* Units intending to fight Class A campaigns should already have paid in £50 as per the check list provided at the Organizers conference. Look at the list again and act on this immediately. Full candidate details should also be submitted to the Elections Department at once.

\* White Noise Gig. 25th April. Skrewdriver, Brutal Attack, Sudden Impact. Tickets £4.50 in advance from BCM Noise, London WC1N 3XX.

\* Cadres and officials are reminded that the reactionary publications Vanguard, Flag, Spearhead and British Nationalist are PROSCRIBED and may not be sold at NF meetings or purchased with NF funds.

\* NF News needs action reports, Repression File evidence, photographs and news stories. Every unit should contribute regularly. It's your paper, help us to build it.

ideas; they cannot simply be suppressed - a fact which has yet to impress itself upon the minds of the State and their paid political functionaries in the police force. I can promise my comrades that upon my release I shall resume the struggle in the cause of National Freedom and Social Justice with more vigour and with greater determination than ever before.

It is said that blows which do not destroy us make us stronger. By persecuting and gaoling our activists for our political beliefs, our Nation's enemies are breeding a tougher and more resilient generation of Nationalists than has ever existed within the Movement before.

Their intolerance and repression should be seen for what they are: the last desperate throes of a dying animal. I am sure that my comrades look forward as I do to the final destruction of their evil and immoral System, and to the building of a new, free and just society upon its grave.

Your Comrade,

Phil Andrews.

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## BARKING

### The Front man

GUITARIST Martin Cross (left) has been picked as National Front prospective Parliamentary candidate for Dagenham.

Mr Cross, 24, of Rugby Gardens, Dagenham says he will postpone a European tour with his band, Screwdriver, if a General Election is announced for this year so he can concentrate on politics.

He has been an NF supporter for 10 years and recently returned from a six month NF recruitment drive in Ulster.

Mr Cross replaces the former parliamentary candidate, Joe Pearce who quit after a row with party members.



# Editorial

NATIONAL FRONT DIRECTORATE member and West London activist PHIL ANDREWS has now been in Pentonville Prison for four months. Phil committed no crime, except to be recognized by the police as one of the key young leaders of the National Front.

When Phil attended a White Noise rock concert in London last year, he left the hall at the end of the evening to find that a heavy-handed police presence had provoked a confrontation with some of the youngsters present. Phil at once set about defusing the situation by appealing for calm and telling the crowd to disperse quietly and avoid giving the police the opportunity to arrest people.

Phil's courageous leadership prevented serious disorder, but on his way home he was arrested "because he is an organizer", as a senior officer told his men. He was then framed on a GBH charge. This was later dropped because of the total lack of evidence, but he was still sentenced to six months on a completely fictitious ABH charge.

Having been thrown into prison for the "crime" of striving to save innocent youngsters from wrongful arrest, Phil is particularly angry at the factional lie that he and his colleagues on the Directorate do not lead from the front. As he told his last visitors in prison: "These traitors have been holding us back for too long - it is time to bury them and their lies, and to get on with the real work of building our movement."

## NOT BROKEN

Although unjustly imprisoned, Phil Andrews' spirit has not been broken. **NF News** is proud to print on page 3 an inspiring letter from this dedicated young NF leader.

Phil's gratitude for letters of support is a sentiment expressed by all NF prisoners. The latest addition to their ranks is **Kev Turner**, the charismatic lead singer of White Noise band **Skullhead**. Those who enjoy his music, or who want to protest against the vicious four year sentence imposed for an act of self-defence, should write to **Kev: R60123 Turner, HMP Acklington, Nr. Morpeth, Northumberland.**

WITHIN HOURS of completing the front page of this issue, two events took place which added further weight to the NF argument that Britain's multi-racial society is collapsing almost as quickly as her economy.

On the economic front, it was announced that Leyland Trucks and Freight Rover would be taken over by the Dutch multi-national company DAF. The Scammell works in Watford will close as a result and the foundry engine works at Leyland, Lancashire, will be run down. It also looks likely that the almost new Cummins diesel engine plant near Glasgow will be shut down as well. The direct job loss is likely to be around 5,000, but the "knock on" effect on factories supplying components could cost 20,000 jobs.

## COMING CRISIS

The other key factor in the coming British Crisis has also raised its head again. The death of a Black criminal at the hands of two police officers in Wolverhampton led to several nights of rioting and looting in the West Midlands town.

So several hundred more Black youths have now learnt that if enough of you attack the police they usually have orders to retreat and avoid trouble. And in the months to come they will probably find that the outburst of violence is rewarded with more money for community centres and special job programmes for young Blacks in the area.

These lessons have now been learned by almost every Black community in Britain. This guarantees even worse violence in the future. While the destruction of British industry for short-term profit is corrupt, the creation of this racial time-bomb in our cities is sheer madness.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Whenever possible, hand correspondence for the NF, **NF News** or the Booksops to your local NF contact, so that it can be delivered through the movement's internal postal system. This is very important when dealing with subscriptions, orders and membership payments.

If you do have to use the Post Office network, **ALWAYS** use **RECORDED DELIVERY** and keep your receipt safely.

While the constant interference with our post is irritating, this attempt to disrupt the NF is a tribute to its growing effectiveness. So rather than moaning about it, all NF members and supporters must accept the hard work and discipline needed to make our internal communications network an efficient alternative.

# THE WAY FO

## Hardliners' m behind the so

A NEW breed of right-wing extremists is muscling in on the North-East.

And although they use the familiar name National Front, their organisation bears little resemblance to the NF of the past.

New developments are causing especial concern to anti-fascist campaigners in the region, who say national and local government must not ignore the threat posed by the NF's new tactics.

They believe strong action must be taken to stop the NF's influence growing, and stress that despite its attempt to make its philosophy more palatable the Front still stands for obnoxious racial policies.

The popular image of the NF is that of a one-issue movement, obsessed with the expulsion of blacks. Slogans like "If they're black, send them back" reflect no more than a cruder racial prejudice.

The appeal of a party based on such narrow philosophy has been predictably small and the idea that any power should be entrusted to a group which apparently bases its entire vision on the concept of enforced repatriation has been seen as ridiculous.

Recently, however, the NF has made a radical change. Those who led the party in the 1970s, when it first became well-known, have now all left.

And a new group of highly intelligent and ideologically sophisticated leaders have emerged to implement a new strategy. Most of the "New guard" are young graduates in their twenties. Their outlook is very different to that of former NF leaders like Martin Webster, who are now described as "Tory racists."

The sort of rhetoric used by the new NF is deceptively similar to that used by the far Left. Margaret Thatcher and the Tories are targets for at least as much vitriol as "the Reds."

The old NF leaders are seen as allies of big business and upholders of the capitalist system. Apart from a shared desire to kick blacks out, the old guard and the new guard have little in common.

Whatever ideology the old NF had was geared to a continuation and strengthening of capitalism. The new NF insists on radical changes in society.

The new NF activist is expected to show an interest in such diverse themes as the works of G. K. Chesterton and Hilaire Belloc, the

### The new face of the National Front



Special Report by  
Martin Shipton

The second half of our report examines the new-style leadership of the Front with its 'brainier' approach.

kind of revolutionary nationalism promoted by Libya's Colonel Gaddafi and the theories of American Black Power leader Louis Farrakhan. He will also show an awareness of his supposed racial history by learning to regard the Battle of Hastings as the occasion when control of England was wrested from the true patriots.

The new NF seeks to draw a distinction between "racism" and "racialism." Racial purity of whatever kind is seen as the ultimate good - and this explains the apparently bizarre links between the NF and Farrakhan, whose strident Black Power campaign is causing increasing concern in the United States.

Economic principle of "distributism," espoused by the poet and man of letters Hilaire Belloc before World War 2, is seen as the model for an ideal Britain. Large corporations would be broken up, and no company would have more than 100 employees, operating on worker co-operative lines.

Capitalism and Communism are seen as twin evils. Gaddafi's brand of revolutionary nationalism is revered as the form of fervent patriotism necessary before change can be accomplished.

If ideas like this existed solely in the pages of an obscure journal they could be easily dismissed as the insignificant and eccentric views of a tiny minority. The leaders of the NF are not, however, content to be regarded as harmless eccentrics. They have begun what they see as the long



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job of creating a strong popular base which would ultimately lead them to power.

The NF's North-East regional organiser is Colin Todd, 24, an un

employed former naval rating who

lives in Buckingham Street, Elswick,

a short distance from Newcastle city

centre.

His flat is above a hairdresser's,

the windows are grilles and a new

security alarm system has been in

stalled.

The spartan living accommodation

looks an unlikely nerve-centre for an

organisation with such mighty

aspirations. And Todd's appearance

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says. "We also want to get more involved in community politics. We have, for example, campaigned against the closure of Ashfield Nursery School (in Newcastle)."

Sloganising is still a part of the NF's way of operating — but the old racist phrases have been replaced by messages of more popular appeal. Todd produced a series of stickers with slogans like "Keep Tyneside Open," "Nuclear Power? No Thanks," and even "Oppose Cruelty To Animals."

This indicates the NF's awareness that popular appeal cannot be bought on the racist theme alone. "People already know about our policy of repatriation," says Todd.

The relatively small number of ethnic minority residents in the North-East also makes the theme less potentially attractive here.

Instead, the region has been targeted because of its high level of youth unemployment. Young football supporters, YTS trainees and schoolchildren are seen as prime recruiting potential for the NF in the North-East.

The first lesson for conventional politicians lies ironically in Todd's skinhead appearance. He admits that he cultivates such an image in order to appeal to those he is seeking to recruit.

"Unlike the other parties we talk to people on their own level," says Todd. "The lads know they can have a pint with me. They see me as one of them."

This technique is clearly successful, to judge from the attitudes towards their leaders expressed by grassroots NF members to The Northern Echo.

More ominously, the NF's most spectacular success in the region so far has been at Consett — ironically where the number of blacks and Asians is so significant as to be statistically almost non-existent. The significant fact is that a recent calculation of young people either on the dole or on a government scheme is as high as 82 percent.

Alec McFadden, president of the Tyneside Anti-Fascist League, said: "If I were in the shoes of Derwentside District Council I would be very concerned about the growth of the NF in Consett."

"They are taking advantage of the situation that exists there for their own deviant ends, and positive action has to be taken to stamp out their influence."

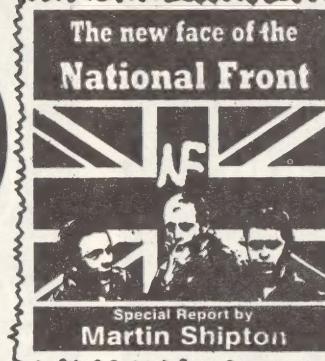
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REPRODUCED ON the left is a cutting from the major north of England newspaper, The Northern Echo. It appeared as part of a series of articles on the National Front which the paper published at the end of January this year, which in turn was just a small sample of the excellent local and national publicity gained for the movement by our thriving North Eastern units.

This particular cutting is not exceptional, the others have been just as good. The previous day's report about the growth of the National Front and the White Noise rock club in Consett was just as effective as propaganda, but we just do not have room to reproduce it.

The article we have chosen speaks for itself. Although the paper is still hostile, the NF's new national revolutionary approach has stunned the journalist and the editor into giving their readers a remarkably clear and largely fair report of what we really stand for.

#### BEST EVER

Outside of Ulster, this is perhaps the best press coverage that the NF has ever received from a major regional newspaper. It is a testament to the effectiveness of our national propaganda and strategy, and of course to the dedicated young "Geordie" activists who made it possible. The NF strategy of sinking roots in the local community and of building links with British youth through rock music does, after all, rely on the efforts of cadres working in their own area for real success.

#### MARKED CONTRAST

The contrast between this kind of in-depth report and the wall of silence or brief condemnation gained by the old "hold a little march, fight a futile by-election" approach could not be more marked. This success also shows how right the NF is to be making a real effort to put an end to racist bigotry and to establish a principled racialist position based on racial separation and mutual cultural respect.

The appeal of our radical economic ideas in an area such as the tragically depressed North East is also worthy of note. The hysterical reaction of the Marxists of the local "Anti-Fascist League" shows that they recognize the enormous popular appeal of our Distributist policies which call for a "Third Way" between the sterile dogmas of Capitalism and Communism.

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### NATIONHOOD

THOSE OF you who regularly watch the news on television will probably have been struck by the number of "national" conflicts raging in the world. From huge continents to obscure islands, there are to be found violent clashes over the meaning of "nationhood". Such conflicts are made all the more confusing when you realize that vital elements in one "national" conflict are found to be absent in another.

This leads us to ask: "What is a Nation?" It is a question that is not merely of academic importance, for the National Front is, by definition, a "nationalist" movement. If we do not understand what a Nation is, we are struggling to achieve nothing in particular.

#### LOYALTY

We believe that a Nation is the result of the coming together of many factors, factors which have blended in an almost indescribable way, and yet allow even the simplest of our people to appreciate that loyalty to the Nation — in other words patriotism — is a good and desirable thing. Nationhood, therefore, combines solid effects with a certain intangibility. It is this combination which allows us to explain why "national conflicts can be so different in their make-up.

A nation may be compared, in some respects, to a flower. You can describe how it looks externally — size, colour, position and so forth. But how do you explain the fragrance, the scent, that makes it unique? It is something that you know in yourself. Just because it is difficult to put it into words, it does not make it any less real. To know a Nation internally and externally, to feel and understand a Nation, is to have your heart and mind working in unison.

What factors do we believe are integral to our view of nationhood? Firstly, there is the factor of a common racial background, a factor which can be traced, like a meandering river, through the pages of history and which has given rise to a particular and identifiable type. The fact that even a child can recognize the fundamental difference between a European, Negro or Chinaman is proof of the universal importance of this factor. Without the racial element there would be no nations or cultures, but only a mish-mash of rootless humanity.

#### TRADITIONS

The customs and traditions associated with particular nations have grown up from the experiences of the racial element, and are a consequence of a common history, and of a common spirit of love and struggle. It is this past, held in common, which will assist us in our common destiny — if we so desire and act upon it.

However, Nationhood does not merely revolve about Man, for Man is part of a natural environment which necessarily exerts its influence. As an island people, it is plain that the sea has played an enormous role in shaping our nations. We have had to develop a close relationship with the sea in order to trade, import raw materials and to maintain communication with the wider world. A country like Switzerland, which has no coastline, can never fully understand the role of the sea in shaping our nationhood.

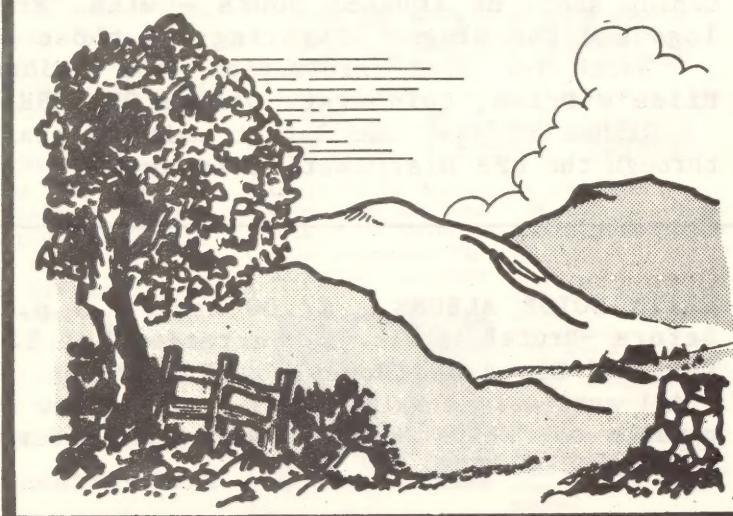
The nature of the land is also a massive determinant in shaping a nation, since people are forced to adapt themselves to their environment. How Bedouin Arabs live in the desert differs greatly from how farmers live in East Anglia. How folk live in mountain regions differs greatly from how people survive in the arctic. How the land moulds moulds a people, and to what extent, is difficult to determine. Man struggles to master the land and sea, to bend them to his needs and wishes, yet in the very process of struggling with these factors, he is changed in a real, though invisible, way.

#### COMMUNITY OF COMMUNITIES

These factors and others go to make up a nation. They allow us to define a nation as a community of communities, a living being made up of many different parts but united as One. In one sense it is not absolutely necessary for an individual to understand Nationhood — it is enough to feel it.

How it is felt may vary from one person to another: the beauty of the mountain stream and the rolling hills; the power that whirls around us on a windswept cliff top; the bustling, almost magical, life of the towns and villages; the fluttering of the flag against a cold northern sky; the history of joy and suffering traced in the wrinkles of the ageing soldier; the light-heartedness of the child at play — for whose sake we are battling.

When such things are felt a power surges through your body, and through the bodies of millions of others who likewise feel these things. It is a life that tingles with anticipation. It is a life beyond the understanding of the capitalist, beyond the imagination of the Communist. Yet Nationhood is a life as real as you or I, and we are as aware of it as it is of us.





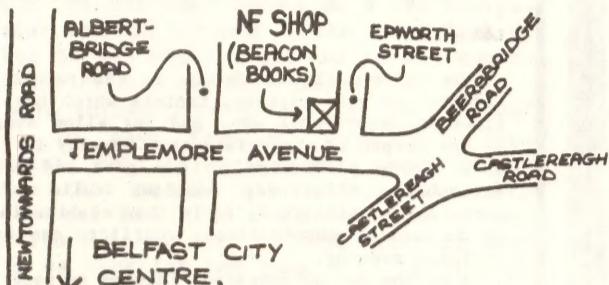
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2) The rapid de-centralization of the NF's merchandising operation to local NFN units has reduced the need for one central outlet.

3) The mail order side of Burning Books sales has risen steadily, with fewer people bothering to make the difficult journey to Croydon.

4) The poor position and continued decline of the neighbourhood has meant that the shop has increasingly been subsidized by the profits of the mail order operation. This is a waste of capital which should be used to build up stock levels and widen the range of products available.

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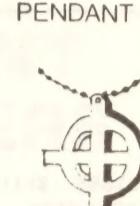
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Watch this page for more details and future additions.

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# COMMUNITY ACTION

COMMUNITY ACTION seeks to help the National Front sink local roots. Indeed, we see this as a very small step along the road to establishing a whole series of NF Advice Centres throughout the British Isles.

We want to expose local council corruption and incompetence, fight closures of schools, factories and hospitals, and campaign for decent housing and social services for our people. We also carry lots of advice on what you are entitled to in the way of benefits and consumer rights etc., as the powers that be usually try to suppress such information.

We also wish to generate a climate of self-help and community pride and care which is sadly being attacked and destroyed.

If any NF News readers think that Community Action should focus on problems or initiatives in their area, or promote, give advice on, or help their campaigns, please contact us, and send us your community news and any press cuttings.

## GETTING INVOLVED IN HAVERING

HAVERING NF has once again been working on its local Community Action programme.

The Tarnworth Centre is located in attractive surroundings within a housing estate on Harold Hill, Haverhill. Formerly a local infant school, the building continues to serve an educational purpose with three specialist support units providing an essential advisory service which helps children with learning difficulties in the Borough.

Also at the centre is a college for Adult Education. This covers a wide variety of useful subjects in a pleasant social atmosphere which contrasts well with the surrounding harsh and vandalised housing estate.

At the recent Civics Conference, Haverhill NF delegates put questions to the council concerning the future use of the premises. The council was clearly embarrassed, but stated that there were no plans to demolish the building. It was, however, admitted that its future is "under review."

### FACT

Thanks to Haverhill NF, the FACT that the future of this valuable local amenity is in doubt is now available to parents, students and the public.

But the local press, which has recently made the story of possible school closures front page news, has refused to publish this disclosure, since the NF would get the credit. This being the case, Haverhill NF has now embarked on a campaign to inform the public itself through a local leaflet to be distributed shortly. This will increase the pressure on the council to release more information on the future of the premises.

Thanks to the vigilance of Haverhill NF activists, NF News can now go further and reveal that the centre will in fact be closed by the summer of this year. Plans will then be announced to demolish it and build more houses.

So the true facts are now out, which at least gives local people a chance to put their strong case for keeping the centre open. Haverhill NF will be at the forefront of this campaign, starting now with the widespread distribution of this issue of NFN to the relevant councillors and to students and local residents.

ALTHOUGH HAVERING NF are now working hard on this new issue, they have not let their earlier campaigns die. The following update on earlier reports shows how Haverhill NF keep up the pressure:

\* **Battis Way Campaign.** A petition signed by many local residents and workers has been handed in to British Rail (who are responsible for the property). This demands better lighting and protection in this notorious "muggers' alley." Copies of the petition and a covering statement have been sent to the local press.

\* **Harrow Lodge Park.** A question at the end of last year at the Civics Conference asked the council to confirm if they had experimented with park lighting and reiterated a demand for lighting in

Harrow Lodge park. The council still dismisses the idea, so a petition is being raised amongst local residents.

Every unit of National Front News Supporters should be looking for such local issues to mobilize local interest and boost paper sales, at the same time as doing something positive to help local people. Everybody can do at least something to improve the quality of life in their neighbourhood. Look around and have a go - and don't forget to tell NFN how you get on.



East London NF activists campaign in Haverhill.

Have you a gripe about your local council? Is your local school, factory or hospital being closed down? Do you live in bad housing conditions? Then contact your local NF Organiser, NF News papersellers, or Community Action, and we'll fight on your behalf. (Please enclose a stamped self-addressed envelope for a reply).

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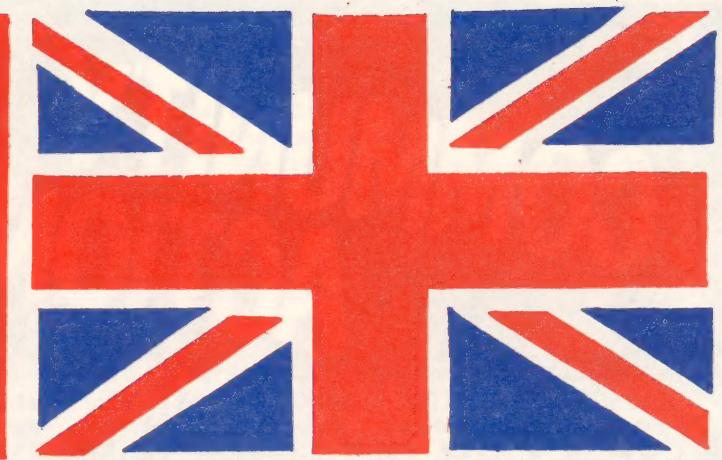
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# National Front News

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# ULSTER IT'S TIME TO DECIDE



National Front activists - campaigning for a New Ulster on the mainland as well.

THE OLD MOLYNEUX/PAISLEY Unionist leadership have lost their grip on the Ulster situation. This is now obvious to any realistic observer. On the first anniversary of the treacherous Anglo-Irish Agreement, they announced that they would soon "step up" the campaign of resistance to the Northern Ireland Office/Dublin junta. They have failed to do so.

Loyalist grass-roots opposition to the Hillsborough dictat has remained firm, but discontent and drift have set in. This is largely because of Molyneux's and Paisley's obvious inability or unwillingness to deliver on their promises.

The Northern Ireland Office dictators recognize this fact and intend to crush the last vestiges of loyalist resistance in 1987 by means of the vicious new Public Order laws. The Westminster treason regime is not interested in giving Ulster people equal citizenship rights, they are determined to hand us over to Dublin rule.

#### INDEPENDENCE OPTION

If Ulster people are to avoid this fate and be free, they must take steps to take full control of their

political and economic destiny. This is the unspoken or whispered option in loyalist circles. To date, any politician mentioning it has added the qualification that he doesn't actually advocate it, but that it might be necessary.

Only the National Front openly and unashamedly demands independence for Ulster as the only way for Ulster folk to retain their freedom and national identity, and as the only way to end the long years of violence.

A recent story in the Dublin smear sheet the *Sunday World*, claimed that the NF has done a "U-turn" on its Ulster policy and no longer advocates an independent Ulster. This idea came from an article in an obscure fringe magazine, which falsely claims to support the NF. In fact, National Front policy is determined by the movement's Annual General Meeting, not by shadowy magazines. The NF is convinced that independence is the only short-term way that Ulster can establish and maintain her freedom.

#### HEROIC SACRIFICE

We believe that an independent Ulster state can survive, but it will require an heroic effort and sacrifice

from everyone. Critics say that Ulster is too small to survive in this way, but this would only be true if it was run on exploitative capitalist lines as at present.

The New Ulster, organized as a community benefit state, based on well-distributed property and co-operatives, giving social justice to all, CAN survive and prosper.

But time is running out fast. Ulster loyalists must decide soon whether their loyalty is to the decaying old "Union" with corrupt Westminster above all else - or to Ulster first and foremost.

Those who decide to put their own land and people first must support the only movement which campaigns unequivocably for independence - the National Front.



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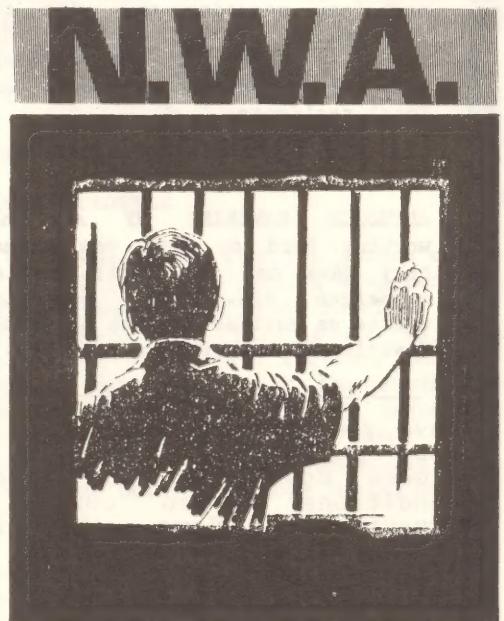
A NEW feature, the REPRESSION FILE starts on page 3 of this issue. This is designed to provide readers with a regular update on the sort of actions taken by the State to try to disrupt the National Front.

THE "inside" information that the phones of leading Ulster NF personnel are tapped was confirmed dramatically by a mistake by the security forces last month.

On Friday 13th February, NF Directorate member John Field was talking on the phone to his Belfast colleague Jim Morrison. After a few minutes the phone made a strange noise and was cut off. John Field heard nothing and put the receiver down. Jim, on the other hand, then heard a tape of what John had been saying earlier in their conversation. This replay lasted for some seconds before his phone line also went dead.

John Field told NF News that he would be making an official complaint, but that he was not surprised. "People who won't admit that this sort of thing happens to the National Front these days are either so naive that they are a menace to anyone who associates with them, or must be police agents themselves."

"We take it as a compliment that the security forces feel it necessary to keep such a close eye on us. There is no doubt that they are terrified of the growing appeal of the Front's call for an independent Ulster."



GEORGE SEAWRIGHT and WILLIAM "MAC" MCKAY have been released. Thanks to all who wrote to them.

PAUL BAIN has been transferred to: 1/87 Bain (Paul), A Wing, H Block 1, HMP Magilligan, Point Road, Magilligan, Co. Londonderry.

Every NFN Supporters Unit should show solidarity with Paul by sending a message of support.